NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO

Docket No. YOR920040028US

THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity) In Re Application Of: Samuel S. Adams, et al. Application No. Filing Date Examiner Confirmation No. Customer No. Group Art Unit 10/785,227 Kishin G. Belani February 25, 2004 21254 2143 1536 METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR AUTOMATED LAYOUT DIRECTOR Invention: **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated July 2, 2008 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1 - 15. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$510.00 ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. M The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0510 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: October 2, 2008 Signature Frederick E. Cooperrider, Esq. Registration No. 36,769 hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with McGinn Intellectual Property Law Group, PLLC sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope 8321 Old Courthouse Road, Suite 200 addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box Vienna, Virginia 22182-3817 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on (703) 761-4100 (Date) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence cc: VIA EFS

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